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New Registered Importer Fees; Payment of Renewal Fee for FY 2015

On September 24, 2014, NHTSA published in the Federal Register, at 79 FR 57002, a final rule adjusting the fees in 49 CFR Part 594 relating to the activities of Registered Importers (RIs). The new fees will apply for the next two fiscal years, from October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2016. NHTSA is required by statute to make appropriate adjustments in these fees at least every two years and to establish the fees before the beginning of the fiscal year in which they will apply. The fees were last adjusted through a final rule published in 2012. Those fees have been in effect for the past two fiscal years. If you wish to review the final rule, you can access it on the following Internet link: <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2014-09-24/pdf/2014-22619.pdf>

The following table sets forth the previous fee for each RI activity and the new fee that became effective on October 1, 2014:

RI Application and Renewal	Previous Fee	New Fee	Change
New Registration Application	\$805	\$844	+\$39
Registration Renewal	\$676	\$726	+\$50
Petitions for Eligibility			
<i>Substantially Similar</i>	\$175	\$175	No Change
<i>Capable</i>	\$800	\$800	No Change
<i>Petitioner Requested Inspection of Vehicle</i>	\$827	\$827	No Change
Vehicle Importations			
<i>Non-Canadian - Substantially Similar</i>	\$101	\$138	+\$37
<i>Non-Canadian – Capable</i>	\$101	\$138	+\$37
<i>Canadian</i>	0	0	No Change
<i>Administrator Initiated Eligibility</i>	\$125	\$125	No Change
Conformance Bond Processing	\$9.09	\$9.34	+\$0.25
Cash Deposits	\$495	\$499	+\$4
Processing Conformity Certificate			
<i>Paper Entry</i>	\$12	\$10	-\$2
<i>Automated Broker Interface (ABI) Entry</i>	\$6	\$6	No Change
<i>ABI Entry with 1 or more errors</i>	\$57	\$59	+\$2
<i>Erroneous ABI Entry (w/electronic corrections)</i>	\$12		

To renew your registration for Fiscal Year 2015, which runs from October 1, 2014 to September 30, 2015, you will need to submit a credit card authorization (see Attachment 1) or a check made payable to the Treasurer of the United States in the amount of \$726.00. Please ensure that NHTSA receives your payment by November 10, 2014. Failure to submit the payment by that date will cause your registration to be automatically suspended, effective November 10, 2014, as provided in 49 CFR 592.7(a)(1).



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RI CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

This is an electronic form. Please use your **TAB** key to go to the next field. If you made a mistake and moved to the next field, press **SHIFT-TAB** together to go back.

Choose Card Type: Visa MasterCard American Express
 Discover

Last 4 Digits of the Credit Card Account on file:

Expiration Date (MM/YYYY):

Company Name:

Card Holder Name:

Address:

Email Address:

Telephone Number:

Notes:

Fill out this form to use your credit card to pay your compliance package, petition, and/or RI renewal fees. Please notify NHTSA by e-mail when the expiration date changes, an authorized user is no longer authorized, the card is cancelled, stolen, or you change credit cards.

Signature: _____ Date _____

Please fax this completed form to 202-493-0073 or email it to importcertification@dot.gov.
You must call 202-366-5291 to provide the full credit card number to complete your transaction.
Do not include your full credit card number on this form.